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Mr. Lowell P. Braxton Administrator Mined Land Reclamation Program Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining 3 Triad Center, Suite 350 Salt Lake City, UT 84180-1203

DIVISION OF OIL, GAS & MINING

Dear Mr. Braxton:

We are pleased to submit to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, the accompanying Reclamation Plan Revision for Brush Wellman Inc.'s Topaz Mining Property. This plan is the product of careful and thorough effort of both our technical staff and the staff of our consultants, JBR Consultants Group. We have carefully evaluated past reclamation practices at the site, the specific site conditions, especially soil chemistry, and current and future mining plans and arrived at what we believe is the optimal reclamation plan for the Topaz Mining Property.

As you will note, the plan refers to several requests for variances under Rule M-10 of the Division's Rules and Regulations for which application will be made. We shall prepare these requests after your staff has reviewed the reclamation plan.

We look forward to the Division's timely approval of the plan. Both my staff and the JBR staff are available to answer any questions that you and your technical team may have during the review process.

Sincerely yours,

BRUSH WELLMAN INC.

Kenneth Poulson Vice President

Mining & Exploration

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